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NURSERY ROAD IS ASSURED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGREES UPON $5600 AS DAMAGE SETTLEMENT

Work Slated to Begin After First of May Next Year

After approximately five years' effort, the Register's pet project of extension of First street, Niles, through the California Nursery grounds to join with the Alvarado road became a certainty last Thursday afternoon.

At that time, the county board of supervisors agreed to a settlement of $5600 to be paid to the nursery interests as damages.

Final settlement was a compromise between the supervisors and the nursery firm, as $$6202 had been set Judge Leon Gray as damages to which the nursery was entitled at the conclusion of the recent damage suit in Oakland.

A resolution was passed by the supervisors a week ago last Thursday approving the above mentioned settlement and was expected to be given final approval at last Tuesday's meeting if the nursery interests were agreed.

At the Tuesday meeting, however, the nursery representatives came forward with a proposal asking for a larger sum, and was refused by the supervisors. Therefore the settlement was not definitely agreed upon until Thursday's meeting of the board, contrary to certain reports that it had been settled last Tuesday.

Work on the road cannot begin until at least May of next year, due to an agreement wth the nursery which postpones construction work until the busy season at the nursery is over. After that time, however, it is expected work will begin and the road completed as soon as possible, according to Supervisor Richmond.

With the final agreement at last week's meeting of the supervisors, a fight which the Register has been waging for the past few years has resulted in success. It has long expressed the opinion that the road was essential to the further growth and devolpment of Niles.

Although initial work on the extension began a year ago this past summer and the road was completed up to the nursery grounds, the Register was not content that it should cease there and thus kept alive agitation for its completion when at various times it seemed as

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ADVANCE ALLEGED SWINDLER'S CASE TO JAN. 23

BECAUSE OF a full docket, the trial of Gordon McCutcheon and Howard Jewell, alleged oil stock swindlers, slated for Monday in the Oakland superior court of Judge Fred V. Wood, has been continued until Monday, January 23.

McCutcheon and Jewell are said to have sold several thousands of dollars of worthless oil stock to several Centerville residents. They are charged with violation of the State Corporate Securities Act. Leo Sullivan and Myron Harris are representing the defendants, who are at liberty under $5000 bail.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN FOUND DEAD AT NILES PLANT

Succumbing to pneumonia the result of exposure, an unidentified man was found dead in the dry kiln of the Kraftile factory at Niles last Thursday night.

The man, thought to have been from seventy to seventy-five years of age, apparently had crawled into the kiln to get warm when death overtook him. Deputy Coroner F. F. Botelho, of Centerville, took charge of the body. No marks of identification were found.

The man was buried Saturday in the Irvington cemetery. The sheriff's office investigated. A coroner's inquest will be held at the Botelho chapel in Centerville Friday morning.

Niles Woman Injured In Automobile Crash

Mrs. John Pine, of Niles, suffered a serious laceration of the head Sunday night when a car driven by her husband collided with a large sedan driven by Robert E. Reel, of Beverly Hills, at the entrance to the Niles Canyon Southern Pacific underpass.

The Reel machine was emerging from the subway and the Pine car was traveling toward Niles. Mrs. Pine was taken to the Dr. E. C. Grau emergency hospital at Niles and treated. She has been confined to her bed this week.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Dec. 23—Niles Fire Department Meeting, Fire House, 7 p. m.
Dec. 26—Odd Fellows, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.
Jan. 3—Ladies Auxiliary, Memorial Hall.
Jan. 5—Y. L. I., Odd Fellows' Hall, 8 p. m.
Jan. 5—Welfare Board, Niles Library, 10 a. m.
Jan. 6—Rebekahas, Odd Fellows' Hall, 8 p. m.
Jan. 10—Parent-Teachers' Association Meet, Grammar School.

Peace On Earth, Good Will to Men

"ARE YE LISTENING?" Do you hear that clarion call coming down the wind these bitter cold nights?

Do you doubt it? Then put your ear to the ground and listen to its reverberations through the history of this old world of ours during the nearly two thousand years that have rolled round since the herald angels sang it first to the poor shepherds on the hills of Bethlehem.

At that time, the known world was draining the bitter dregs of human suffering. War, oppression, starvation—even taxation played its part: for is it not written that Joseph with his young wife, Mary, went up to his own city, Bethlehem, to be taxed under a proclamation of Ceasar that all the world should be taxed. They felt they had reached the lowest pitch of physical and mental endurance; yet it was to these miserable ones that this apparently preposterous message came, brought by the shining hosts of heaven—"Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."

Preposterous, do we say: but a short time and even kings were kneeling before the manger in the little city of Bethlehem, whispering with lowered heads this message of the angels.

And down through the centuries the story repeats itself—through love and comfort and wealth to hatred and oppression and averice until human misery can record no more—then once again comes that mighty call—"Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men." And desperate humanity lifts its head from the depths of degradation and sees the dawning of a new day.

And so today as millions are walking the dark valleys of dispair, from the mountain tops there again rings out that glorious call to worship.

Shall we heed it? Will you with us join the shepherds and the kings, kneeling with bowed heads, as of old, at the manger, in humility murmuring as the joyous hosts of heaven sing,—

"Glory to God in the highest; on earth peace; good will to men."

—By MRS. NORMAN H. PARKS

Relief Bond Issue Wins by Large Vote

Washington Township Pols 270 Majority Favoring Measure

Voters in Alameda county approved the $3,000,000 bond issue for indigent relief by a large majority at the special election held Tuesday.

Although a two thirds majority was needed, the vote in favor of the bonds was far in excess of the required figure. Tabulations of complete returns from the county's 355 precinccts revealed the vote at:

Yes.....47,449 No.....17,786

With a light vote cast, Washington township polled a majority of 274 ballots in favor of the issue. The township vote was:

Yes.....935 No.....665

Vote against the issue in the township was heaviest at Warm Springs where eighty-six voted "no" and seventeen "yes."

The vote in Niles and Centerville was fairly close, with Niles giving a majority in favor of the issue and Centerville a majority against. The largest vote in the township for the issue was cast at Decoto, Precinct No. 2 where 146 "yes" ballots were polled to six "no."

Vote in the various township precincts were: (Irvington not included):

	Yes	No
Niles No. 1	63	32
Niles, No. 2	77	49
Niles, No. 3	62	66
Centerville, No. 1	29	53
Centerville, No. 2	47	58
Centerville, No. 3	65	48
Alvarado, No. 1	51	11
Alvarado, No. 2	15	29
Decoto, No. 1	76	38
Decoto, No. 2	146	6
Mission San Jose	69	62
Warm Springs	17	86

ILL WITH FLU

Jack Williamson is up and able to be around again after being confined to bed with an attack of influenza. Mrs. Jack Williamsn was confined to bed with an attack of the "flu" during the first part of this week.

Register for Better Printing.

NILES MAN FAILS IN DOUBLE TRY TO COMMIT SUICIDE

Shoots Self and Takes Poison But Death Is Cheated

Taking a dose of poison and shooting himself above the heart with a revolver, John Fiorio, said to be a Niles man, is still alive at the Highland hospital after a double suicide attempt on the banks of Alameda Creek south of Niles failed late last Wednesday afternoon.

Two transients discovered the man lying on the creek banks unconscious and notified authorities. He was taken to Dr. E. C. Grau at Niles and then rushed to the Highland hospital by the Botelho ambulance.

Fiorio had made careful preparations for taking his own life, investigation revealed. He was found lying on a blanket spread out on the ground and had opened his shirt front to bare his breast before firing the shot which narrowly missed his heart. A gun was found lying a few feet away from the man's body. He was fairly well-dressed and did not seem to be without money.

A portion of poison was found in the man's pocket, and hospital physicians found indications of poison in his stomach. Despondency is thought to have been the cause of the man's suicide attempt.

DON'T MIND THE CAR BUT OH, THE LIQUOR!

George J. Hodder not only damaged his car when he drove into the ditch near Decoto Saturday night but also lost eleven bottles of moonshine whiskey stored in the back of his coupe.

Several of the bottles were broken in the crash and the remainder were confiscated by Constable O. W. Ebright who arrested Hodder for driving under the influence of liquor.

Constable Ebright happened to be driving directly behind Hodder at the time his car went off the pavement, skidded on the soft dirt alongside and landed in the ditch.

Hodder, at liberty under $100 bail, will face arraignment in the Niles justice court Friday afternoon.

HEAVY RAIN MONDAY WELCOMED BY FARMERS

Coming as a great relief to many farmers and ranchers in this section, the rain storm of Sunday night and Monday morning brought the total rainfall for the season Tuesday morning up to 2.29 inches, according to the guage kept by the Southern Pacific railroad station at Niles.

A total of 1.16 inches fell during the week-end storm. In spite of this heavy downpour, Niles, however, is far behind last year's season total at the same date when 6.37 inches had fallen.

YULETIDE CHEER TO HOLD SWAY OVER WEEK-END

CHARGE OF DRUNKEN DRIVING IS REDUCED

Juan Mayorga, of San Jose, was placed on ninety days' probation by Judge J. A. Silva in the Niles justice court Friday afternon, after he had plead guilty to a reckless driving charge.

Mayorga was arrested recently after a head-on collision with another automobile in Irvington and a charge of drunken driving was placed against him. The arrest was made Traffic Officer Duffey Lewis. When the defendant agreed to plead guilty to reckless driving, the charge was reduced at the instance of the district attorney's office.

Judge Silva placed the defendant on probation when evidence revealed that he had a wife and two children in need and the man had a job capable of supporting them. He is forbidden to drive a car during the ninety days.

Niles Business Man On Trip to Denver

Frank Alamo, genial proprietor of the Niles Cleaners and Dyers establishment in Niles, left Sunday night for a trip to Denver, Colorado, where he will visit with his wife's relatives. Mrs. Alamo was called to Denver over a month ago by the serious illness of her mother and has been there since.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Alamo will return to Niles after the first of the year, to make their home in Niles, where they have made many friends since opening up a business here.

Business Houses to Close and Day Will Be Feted Monday

The Yule spirit will prevail in Niles over the week-end, as it will over all the Christian world, and many of the residents are making plans to observe the two holidays in proper manner.

As a result of Christmas Day falling on Sunday this year, business houses will be closed on Monday when the day will be observed by many.

Special Yule worship services will be held at the Niles Congregational church Sunday morning, according to Reverend E. G. Brinkmeyer, minister. The annual Christmas program was held at the church last Sunday night.

The Catholic Corpus Christi church also will hold special Christmas services on Sunday, it has been announced by Father James McCaul.

The St. James Episcopal church at Centerville will hold its annual Christmas party tomorrow night (Friday) beginning at seven-thirty, and an entertaining program reflecting the Yuletide spirit has been arranged. There also will be special worship services at the church Sunday morning, and special services at the Presbyterian church in Centerville Sunday.

Family dinners and social gatherings will mark the activities of many Niles people over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Murphy will enjoy dinner and the day at the home of Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Vandervoort, of Irvington.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Ellis, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. Sharman and family, of Centerville,

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

Season's Greetings

THE YEAR closing has been a hard one economically, and that, of course, means that money has been hard to get, and harder to hold. The Christmas season finds most of us in stranded circumstances, and a lot of worry piled on our shoulders. The future is as uncertain as the past has proven to be. Under these trying conditions it may sound like an empty nothingness for me to wish everyone in Washington township a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. Yet I sincerely do hope that each and everyone may find the holiday season full of real joy, despite material influences that are working against the consummation of this wish of mine.

But after all, the readers of the Township Register are not so bad off as they imagine. The flush years are gone 'tis true, but most of us have health, and enough to eat. The easy life of luxury, with its wastefulness, is gone but we are not starving. There is no pestilance, no war, no governmental autocracy torturing us physically and crushing us spiritually. We have independence, and the right to worship our God in our own good way. Those are blessings that it took centuries to gain, and millions died that you and I might enjoy "Peace on Earth, Good Will To Men," which, interpreted into modern language, means simply that religious tolerance and political equality have become an accepted right of man. We have these; therefore we have gifts in abundance. The mere fact that in this particular year business is slow, and money "tight" is no excuse to forget the spirit of Christmas, which, after all, is symbolized not so much in giving as in doing. One can give, and give, and give. But the real spirit of Christmas and in Christianity is in doing. Kindness costs nothing. Cheerful words are not drawn with a check. Sympathy is not to be cut from stocks and bonds like coupons.

Therefore, dear reader, let you and me carry on the spirit of the season, like other Christmas seasons that we have known and hallowed.

From the bottom of my heart I wish all my readers, and all the good people of Washington township, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

—NORMAN H. PARKS

ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS

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ALVARADO ATHLETIC CLUB
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"Flash" Rose and Gus Vegas on Fight Card

Featuring "Flash" Rose, the Niles terror, in a match against John Dutra, Alvarado pride, a fast and exciting card of boxing is offered at the Alvarado theatre tonight. John Gomes, manager of the Alvarado Athletic Club, is staging the card, and promises plenty of action.

Another main event bout on the program is Gus Vegas, of Decoto, in a clash with Joe Terzo, of San Jose. Vegas is one of the best fighters in this section and is always a favorite with fight fans.

Twelve other bouts featuring plenty of mitt slinging also are on the program.

Eagles To Hold Xmas Party Tomorow Night

Preparations have been made by a committee of the Alvarado lodge, Aerie 1695, Fraternal order of Eagles, for a Christmas party to be held in the Alvarado school auditorium Friday night, (tomorrow).

Members of the lodge and their families have been invited to attend. With an entertaining program planned, an enjoyable evening has been promised all those attending. A turkey will be given away during the evening to the holder of a lucky number.

Yreka—Addition bein constructed to Montgomery Ward and Co. store.

Farm Bureau Men Discuss Law In Livermore

Pleasanton and Livermore Men Take Active Part in Discussion

Members of the Pleasanton-Livermore Farm Bureau held a special meeting in a Livermore hotel recently for the purpose of framing suggested changes in the meat inspection law. law.

Edson Abel, attorney for the California Farm Bureau Federation, and James Cassidy, assemblyman-elect, were present at the meeting.

The committeemen who took an active part in the discussion of the meat law were E. A. Wente, Louis Viale and Walter Block, of Livermore; and Thomas Orloff, J. R. Cronin, Theadore Nissen and John Busch, of Pleasanton.

Some contracts have been offered to the Farm Bureau by outside oil companies which will give rebates to Farm Bureau members on their purchases of gasolines, oils and greases. A committee was appointed to look after these contracts. It consists of Walter Block and E. A. Wente, of Livermore, and Joe M. Rose, Jr., of Pleasanton.

Farm Home Heads Presented Gifts

Past officers of the Pleasanton Farm Home Department were presented with gifts in recognition of their work during the past year at a meeting in the Odd Fellows' hall recently.

About sixty women in that community attended the meeting. Miss Sally Fleck, of the University of California, was the speaker at the meeting. She spoke on child developement.

The presentation of gifts to last year's officers in appreciation of their work was made by Miss Pauline Kruse, newly elected chairmen. Those given presents were Mrs. Charles Fiorio, Mrs. Ollie Page, and Mrs. E. L. Doucette.

Marietta Holman, of Hayward, farm home advisor, was present at the meeting. Following the lecture refreshments were served.

$100,000 Junior College Offer Is Still Available

Below is a copy of a letter received from William H. Ford, who offered to donate $100,000 toward the construction of a Junior College in the Niles vicinity in September 1931. The matter of the formation of a junior college district was dropped after the sentiment of the people in Washington, Murray, Pleasanton, and Eden seemed to be against the proposal during present conditions. A letter to Ford from F. M. Foster, of Hayward, also is given.

December 19, 1932

Dear Editor:

Referring to the offer made by me in September, 1931, to assist financially in the location and building of Junior College buildings to be located near Niles, California, I wish to explain that continuous efforts have been made to arouse the interest of the people of the four high school districts in the southern end of Alameda County, with the hope that an election would be called for the purpose of accepting my offer and forming a Junior College District.

I am, however, in receipt of the enclosed letter dated Dec. 1, 1932, from Mr. F. M. Foster, of Haywards, who has been active in promoting interest in the Junior College movement in which letter he mentions that Mr. Burr of the Haywards High School Trustees agrees with him that—

> "We should take no further steps at present to urge the formation of the district.

I have held my offer open all of this time, and I am still ready to fulfill my part, but in the face of the opinion of Mr. Burr and Mr. Foster as expressed in their letter to me, it looks as though this is not the time to proceed with the necessary action to be taken for the formation of a Junior College District.

I will appreciate your publication of this letter so as to let the people of the district know the status of the proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,
William H. Ford

Hayward, Calif.,
Dec. 1, 1932

Dear Mr. Ford:

The directors of the Livemore Lions Club have decided not to recommend to the school trustees any action looking towards the formation of a junior college district at the present time. They say that people will not consider the addition of any taxes no matter what ultimate good might derive from such addition. This state of mind on the part of the people prevails throughout the proposed district which is almost exclusively agricultural and agriculture has had to bear the brunt of the present economic condition. Real estate makes up only twenty-four per cent of the state's wealth and yet it pays seventy-six per cent of the taxes.

In view of these facts Mr. Burr and I feel that we should take no further steps at present to urge the formation of the district. We are more than ever convinced that a junior college is a necessity and that it would be a great aid in the development of southern Alameda county but we are certain that the people would reject the proposition. In addition, there is no telling what the legislature will do at its next session. School finances may even be seriously embarrassed for the next biennium.

Your letter of November 18 states that your offer will be open for "a reasonable period of time." Mr. Burr and I regard that we can offer no definition of the word "reasonable" simply because we do not know how things are going to turn. We therefore feel that all we can do is keep closely in touch with popular sentiment and to take the matter up with you again when we consider that the people are in a more reasonable frame of mind.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) F. M. FOSTER.

Thanks Given For Seal Sales Support

With the sale of Christmas Seals in Washington township progressing nicely, Mrs. J. E. Thane, chairman of the township committee, wishes to express thanks to all those who have aided in the cause.

Funds derived from the sales are used for the benefit of tubercular children at the Del Valle hospital. A beautiful Christmas tree will be enjoyed by the hospital children this year as the result of a large tree being sent to the hospital through the generosity of George Roeding, Jr., of the California Nursery.

Those who have had charge of the seal sales in the various township communities are:

Mrs. J. E. Thane, general chairman; Mrs. J. R. Whipple, assistant chairman; Mrs. Miles Smith, chairman, Miss Dorothy and Lorraine Smith, Niles; Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, chairman, Mrs. F. O. Bunting, Mrs. George Coit, Centerville; Mrs. A. A .Amaral, chairman, H. Silva, Decoto; Mrs. C. A. Lutz, chairman, Mrs. A. B. Hirsch, and Dr. A. C. Lutz, Irvington.

Mrs. August May, chairman, Miss Mildred Nauert, Mrs. W. S. Robie, Alvarado; Miss Sophy Gallegos, chairman, Miss Anita Gallegos, Mission San Jose; Mrs. Charles Cockefair chairman, Miss Mary Brown, Mrs. H. W. Fuller, Mrs. N. B. Reynolds, Mrs. Lewis Ruschin, Newark.

SURPRISE FETE

A number of friends gave Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson, of Niles, a surprise birthday party Saturday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent in dancing and card playing, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Winters—Plans underway to build 100,000 gallon water tank for this city.

Sonoma—Plans under way to construct theatre here to cost about $20,000.

San Diego—Bids to be asked for construction of proposed post office.

-- Local News Briefs --

Frank Ferry was a visitor in Oakland Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Fournier was a business visitor in San Francisco on Monday.

Eat at Quality Lunch, Niles, for a good 25c meal. E. Spencer, Proprietor.—D22tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte and family spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gouvia, of Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Alberg and family were visitors in Livermore Sunday.

A. J. Petsche and C. E. Martenstein attended the California-Georgia Tech football game in Berkeley Saturday.

Mrs. Owen Swainson and Anne Kling spent Sunday and Monday in San Francisco.

E. A. Ellsworth and son, Vernon, and Marston Dassel attended the California-Georgia Tech game in Berkeley Saturday.

If you haven't time to select your Christmas cards go in to the Hayward Drug Co. at 950 B street, and get a boxed assortment of beautiful Christmas cards —D15c

Mrs. Roy Butterfield was called suddenly to Alberquerque, New Mexico, last week when she received word of the serious illness of her mother.

Bill Jones attended the California-Georgia Tech football game at Berkeley Saturday.

Harvey Braun was on a duck hunting trip to Gustine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt and family, of Salinas, have been visiting this week at the home of Mrs. H. R. Hunt.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

A delightful Christmas party was enjoyed by members of the Niles Young Ladies' Institute at their meeting held Thursday night in the Odd Fellows Hall. A beautiful Christmas tree illuminated the room and Mae Moore served in the role of Santa Claus distributing gifts to those present. Several visitors from Livermore were present.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry in Centerville Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gabrial and family, of Newman, are visiting at the home of Mrs. R. D. Vargas in Niles.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Bennett attended the California-Georgia Tech game in Berkeley Saturday.

Hair cutting at Swainson's. Telephone Niles 62.—N3tfc

Mrs. Fred Vogelsang, of Oakland, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson over the week-end.

Adelaide Martin was an Oakland visitor Sunday evening.

CARD OF THANK3

Betsy Ross Parlor, No. 238, N. D. G. W., wishes to express its sincere thanks to Father McCaul, of Niles, for his kindness in loaning card tables and chairs; and to Mr. F. Botelho for the use of chairs for the turkey whist held on December 2.—D22c.

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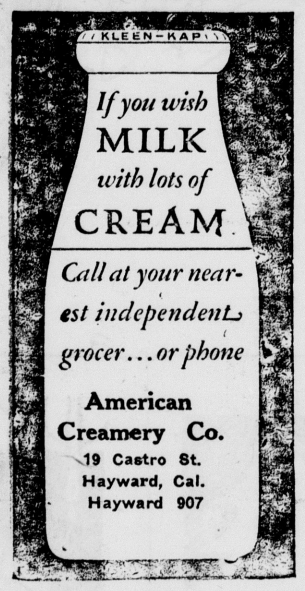

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will spend Christmas Day as guests of Captain and Mrs. George Sperbeck, of Alameda. On Christmas Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis will be guests at the Sharman home in Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones will be dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth at Niles.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Bennett and family will attend a family reunion dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Alberg and family will be dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Alberg's mother, Mrs. Atzeroth, in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Parks will be entertained on Christmas Day by Mrs. Gertrude Woelffel and son, Richard, of Santa Clara, and Miss Cornelia Farley and Miss Carrie Williams, of San Jose, at the Woelffel home.

Mr. and Mrs C. B. Crane will be guests at the home of Mrs. Crane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sylvia in Pleasanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladfred Viery will attend a family reunion dinner at the home of Viery's grandmother in Tassajara.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fournier and family will be guests at a family reunion dinner to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bennett, of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Butterfield and E. L. Yarbrough will be guests at the home of Butterfield's brother, E. P. Butterfield, of Alameda.

Mr. and Ms. J. A. Silva and family will be dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte, of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth will entertain a number of friends and relatives at their home. Among these are Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smithers and family, of Oakdale; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Morgan and family, of Modesto; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ellsworth, of Berkeley; Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Siebert, of Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cole, of Vacaville; and Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Jones, of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eberly will spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Eberly's sister, Mrs. J. A. Cussen, of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry and son, Frank, will be dinner guests at the home of Mrs. B. Enos in Niles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiser will be guests of Mrs. Harry Gross, of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Solon will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Solon for dinner on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte and family, of Niles, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Duarte, of Martinez, will be guests at the home of the Duartes' mother, Mrs. J. R. Fontes in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petsche plan to entertain Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keeble Frank Regier and son, Kennet, all of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Kirk will be dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson will entertain a number of relatives with a Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane and Mrs. J. R. Whipple plan to enjoy Christmas at the home of Thane's brother, A. F. Thane in San Francisco.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Grau and family will spend Christmas with friends in Bay View.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn will entertain at dinner Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hatch, and Dr. Millicent Shinn, of Niles; and Mrs. Elizabeth Aeronberg, of San Francisco.

Mrs. H. R. Hunt will spend Christmas with relatives in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver and family will enjoy Christmas at the home of Mrs. Anderson in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend wil entertain Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Horne and John Godwin, all of Burlingame, on Christmas Day.

Mrs. J. W. Meyers will entertain with a family dinner at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Berchem will entertain a number of friends from Palo Alto at Christmas dinner.

Thirty friends and relatives will gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gomes on Christmas Eve for a party, and on Christmas Day a family dinner will be held at the Gomes home.

Mrs R. D. Vargas will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gabrial, of Newman.

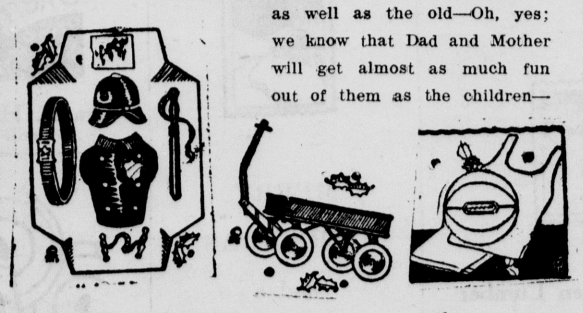
The P. H. Moore family will enjoy a family dinner at home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mayer will entertain Mrs. Mayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Garcia, of Niles, and Mayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mayer, of Alvarado, on Christmas Day. On Christmas Eve Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd and daughters, Bernice and Joan will be guests at the Mayer home.

Come See These TOYS!

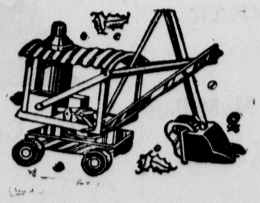
Toys for the Young..

as well as the old—Oh, yes; we know that Dad and Mother will get almost as much fun out of them as the children—



Just a few more days..

and jolly Old Saint Nick will be here in all his glory. And will the kiddies be happy? We know they will if their toys are selected from Santa's big supply at—



Doling's
1011 "B" Street HAYWARD

MORE ON NURSERY ROAD

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if the matter would be dropped and forgotten.

Playing the part of keeping the road question constantly before the public and calling for action, the Register feels proud and happy to announce definitely that the road project is to be realized.

Throughout the battle for the road, the Niles Chamber of Commerce and Supervisor Richmond played an important part in assuring victory. Without their constant and earnest effort, success could not have been realized and the Register extends its congratulations as should the people who are interested in the development of Niles.

Register for better printing.

RICHARDS, UNDER FIRE, RESIGNS AS SCHOOL HEAD

George Richards, principal of the Sunol grammar school for a number of years, and well known in Niles and Washington township, tendered his resignation to the school board of trustees, last week. That body accepted the resignation at once and placed Mrs. Gordon, a member of the Sunol faculty, in his place for the remainder of the year.

Richard's resignation followed with surprising rapidity the filing of suit for divorce by his wife in the San Francisco courts. Mrs. Richards, also a school teacher, is a former Mission San Jose girl, and is highly respected by a very wide circle of acquaintances in southern Alameda county. She is now employed in the San Francisco schools, and is said to be an instructor of marked ability.

Rumors of domestic difficulties have been current for some time, and the divorce proceedings are no surprise here.

Richards has been teaching aviation in the night school at Centerville, as a side line. The Register has been unable to learn whether his classes there will be continued or not. It is reported that he will drop teaching and go in for commercial aviation.

Christmas Program Is Enjoyed at Niles Church

Christmas was appropriately observed at the Niles Congregational church Sunday evening with the presentation of a cantata entitled, "A Christmas Dream." Mabel Townsend played the leading role as a girl who dreamed of the scene at Bethlehem when the Christ child was born. Members of the Sunday school classes acted out the scene in praisworthy manner. Appropriate music was provided by the church choir.

After the program, coffee and cookies were served all those present by members of the Niles Guild. Sacks of candy were passed out by Reverend E. G. Brinkmeyer.

Niles Man Arrested As Alleged Wife Beater

Arrested Monday on a charge of battery, Jerome Fernandes, of Niles, will face arraignment before Judge J. A. Silva in the Niles justice court Friday afternoon.

Fernandes is said to have beaten his wife on several occasions. Mrs. Fernandes filed the complaint against him Monday morning, and Constable O. W. Ebright arersted the man. He was taken to the county jail by Deputy Sheriff Hugo Radbruch.

No Obligation By Law In Brief Employment

Contrary to a commonly held opinion, there is no obligation under the California workmen's compensation act to the resident who desires "gladly to employ an 'unemployed' one day a week and around our homes." Such law terms such work as "casual" and "not in the course of the trade, business, profession, or occupations of his employer."

This was pointed out recently in a San Francisco newspaper in answer to a question. Work first described as "casual" when "work contemplated is to be completed in not exceeding ten working days, without regard to the number of men employed, and the total cost of such work is less than $100. It has been pointed out that there may be an obligation to an injured person not under workmen's compensation if carelessness or negligence is proven, but these instances are exceedingly rare and should not stand in the way of aiding an unfortunate citizen to a few days' work.

NEW RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. S. Walkerline, of Tracy, will be new residents in Niles, after January 1, when they will occupy one of the Ellsworth apartments. Walkerline will be employed by one of the Niles gravel pits.

Advertising pays—if done right.

Richmond Is Elected Shrine Vice-President

Succeeding R. E. Albertson, of Newark, Ezra Decoto, former Alameda county district attorney, was chosen president of the southern Alameda County Shrine Club at its meeting in Hayward last Tuesday night. Ralph Richmond, of Niles, was elected vice-president, and Constable Vincent Strobel, of Hayward, sergeant-at-arms.

A large number of Alameda county shriners were present at the banquet and meeting. The chief address was delivered by Roy S. Mulligan, potentate of Aahmes temple, Oakland.

Transients Beat Man Over Head With Rock

While sitting around a camp fire near the Western Pacific railroad yards at Niles last Thursday night, Ray McCallard, 22, colored transient, of Bakersfield, was struck over the head with rocks in the hands of two other transients, said to have been under the influence of liquor.

McCallard was treated for severe lacerations of the forehead by Dr. E. C. Grau, of Niles. His alleged attackers escaped.

in Los Angeles
THE GATES HOTEL
fireproof
Sixth & Figueroa Sts.

A DOWNTOWN HOTEL
Offers Revised Rates
With Detached Bath
ONE PERSON . . . $1.5
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CAFE AND COFFEE SHOP
25c FIREPROOF GARAGE
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SAFEWAY STORES
DISTRIBUTION WITHOUT WASTE

NILES PRICES Effective Friday and Saturday, December 23 and 24

Milk Max-i-mum Tall Cans **4** cans **15c**

Butter Tasty Pound **25c**

Coffee Airway Always Fresh Pound **17c**

COFFEE Edwards Dependable **1** lb. can **28c**

SWANSDOWN Cake Flour Paekage **21c**

OYSTERS Miss Lou, 5 oz. cans **3** cans **25c**

GOLDEN DATES **2** lb package **19c**

GINGER ALE **3** bottles **25c**

FRUIT SALAD Del Monte No. 1 can **12c**

CHAMPION Flake Butters **1** lb. pkg. **12c**

WALNUTS Diamond Brand lb. **23c**

CIDER Martinelli's ½ gal **39c**
1 gallon **57c**

SAN-I-CLOR Qt. bottle **10c**

Potatoes **10** lbs. **15c**
25 lb bag **29c**

Spitzenberg Apples **6** lbs. **25c**

Sweet Potatoes **4** lbs. **10c**

Pippin Apples **7** lbs. **25c**

Cranberries **2** lbs. **25c**

Juice Oranges Dozen **5c**

Lettuce heads **3c**

HOLIDAY CANDY Broken or Satin Mix, **3** lbs. **27c**

FANCY CHOCOLATES **2¼** lb. box **89c**

Supreme Chocolate CHERRIES **1** lb. box **35c**

CORN Stokleys Finest **2** cans **25c**

A. Y. BREAD, White or whole wheat, **1½** lb. sliced loaf **9c**
1½ lb. unsliced loaf **8c**

CHEESE Mild Oregon lb **16c**

CRAB Alaska Ice Pak, Fancy Meat. No. ½ can **23c**

SHRIMP, Standard Brands **3** for **25c**

MINCED CLAMS, Pioneer Brand (limit 2) No. ½ can **15c**

DASH Powder, 5 lb pkg **37c**

FRESH MILK, Dairyland Grade "A" Quart bottle **10c**
3 quarts or more Bottle **9c**

BACON Nuckolls Eastern Sugar Cured lb. **15c**

Cranberry Sauce Stokely's Finest No. 1 can Can **15c**

I. X. L. Almonds Pound **15c**

Gold Medal **Salad Dressing** Quart jar **23c**

and a Happy New Year

Rose Garage
Centerville Niles

A Feast of Good Will!

If good wishes were edible you could have a sumptuous feast on our Holiday wishes for you and your dear ones. May you have a very Merry Christmas.

HELLWIG MEAT MARKET
NILES— ALVARADO
CENTERVILLE

Greeting to All Big and Small

To our grown-up friends we offer our heartiest greetings of the season. And to the small folk too—in the words of Tiny Tim, who said, "God bless, us, one and all!"

MINT BARBER SHOP
J. D. Ferry, Proprietor
Niles, Calif.

May Dame Fortune Be Waiting for You—

—Under the mistletoe eager to bestow her blessings upon you. And may the glow of the demure lady's kiss linger with you during all the year of 1933.

H. P. Garin Co.
Centerville, Calif.

Christmas Salutations

Our cordial good wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a New Year of great happiness. May the Yule season bring abundant joy to you and yours!

DR. E. C. GRAU
Niles, Calif.

A Serenade To Dame Fortune

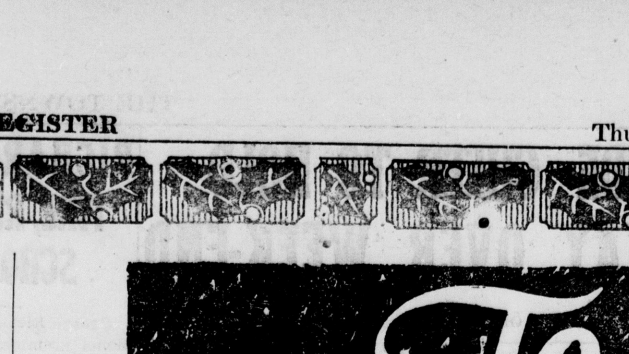
—On Christmas takes the form of a pious wish that our fellow men may enjoy peace and prosperity. To you we offer our cordial expressions of good will.

E. E. Dias
General Contractor
Niles, Calif.

We Agree With Santa

Mr. Claus was recently quoted as saying that he hoped EVERYBODY would find Christmas, 1932, the Merriest Yule yet. May Santa's wish and our's come true.

Niles Cleaners and Dyers
Niles, Calif.



Niles Market
A. B. Moora, Proprietor

American Garage
Niles, California

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with joy

Harry Silva
Orchardist

Christmas Greetings

Safeway Stores, Inc.
Niles, Calif.

Greetings of the Christmas Season!

May your Christmas be a Merry one, may the year 1933 bring you all that the heart can desire, and may future years bring even greater scores of happiness and good fortune.

J. A. SILVA
Justice of the Peace
Niles, Calif.

Lead Kindly Light . . . . .

May the kindly light of love and friendship lead us on through the Yule Holidays to Happy years of good fortune and devotion for the rest of our lives.

VIEUX BROTHERS
Electricians
Niles, Calif.

To Our Friends Far and Near—

MERRY CHRISTMAS! May the spirit of Yuletide envelope you and yours in a roseate aura of good will, good times and good health. Such is our earnest hope.

Wesley Hotel
Niles, Calif.

Greetings of the Christmas Season!

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M. D. Silva
General Merchandise
Newark, Calif.

The Bank of Alameda County
Alvarado Niles California Irvington

Walton's Pharmacy
Niles, Calif.

We wish you a
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

A. A. Lee
NEIGHBORHOOD STORES
Alvarado, Calif.

Ira B. Hodgkins, Inc.
Centerville, Calif.

May Your "Ship Come Home to Port"

We wish you a very, very Merry Christmas and a New Year which will witness the fruition of your dearest hopes and your fondest ambitions.

De Luxe Barber Shop
Niles, Calif.

May Dame Fortune Be Waiting for You—

—Under the mistletoe eager to bestow her blessings upon you. And may the glow of the demure lady's kiss linger with you during all the year of 1933.

El Lido Cafe
A. Salvadorini, Prop.
Centerville, Calif.

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Niles Machine Shop
Creed Domenici, Prop.

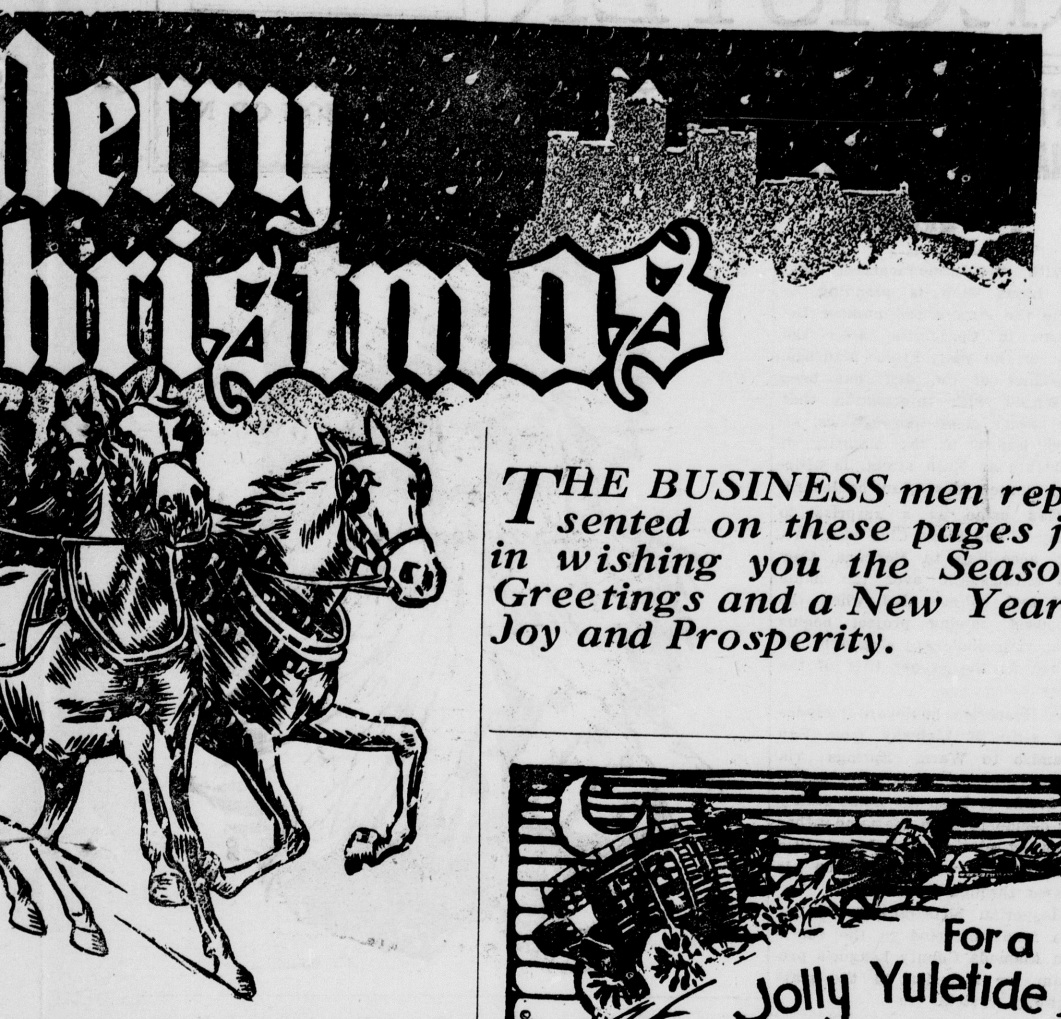
P. C. Hansen Lumber Company
Niles, Centerville, Decoto
Irvington, Alvarado

Wishes you a very Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with joy and prosperity

MERRY
CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY
NEW YEAR

Dr. Stanley McMillan
Centerville, Calif.

Dr. Guy W. Riley
Niles, Calif.



THE BUSINESS men represented on these pages join in wishing you the Season's Greetings and a New Year of Joy and Prosperity.

as Greetings

Stores, Inc.
Calif.

Pharmacy
Calif.

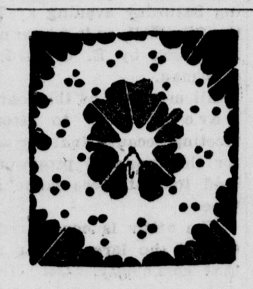
kins, Inc.
Calif.

. Riley
Calif.

We wish you great joy at Christmas, and a New Year of Peace and Prosperity

Sprouse- Reitz
5 - 10 - 15 Cent Store

Mr. and Mrs.
Milton Fournier



Christmas Greetings

from the

Newark Drug Co.
Newark, Calif.

That Old Christmas Spirit

It's the spirit of Peace on Earth and Good Will Towards Men. May the accumulated benevolence of 1932 years of the Christmas Spirit bless you and yours.

Winchester Store
R. Peterson, Prop.
Plumbing and Sheet Metal Works
NILES

Chapel of the Palms
F. F. Botelho, Proprietor
Centerville, California

Allen G. Norris
Attorney at Law
Centerville, California

Centerville Garage and Machine Works
Centerville, California

Lead Kindly Light . . . . .

May we of 1932 enjoy the same blessings, the same sense of Yuletide cheer and kindliness which our forbears have known for over 1932 years.

Centerville Battery Co.
H. E. DeLEON
—Tires, Batteries, Gasoline, Oil, Accessories, Radios and Supples.
Phone 19 Centerville, Calif.

A Feast of Good Will!

If good wishes were edible you could have a sumptuous feast on our Holiday wishes for you and your dear ones. May you have a very Merry Christmas.

Quality Meat Co.
Wholesale and Retail Meats

May All Good Things Come Your Way—

May the charming gifts of Christmas be but the appetizer to a real feast of good things that will start with the New Year and last with you forever after.

Solon's Personal Service
"Leon" and "Cy"
Niles, Calif.

May Your "Ship Come Home to Port"

We wish you a very, very Merry Christmas and a New Year which will witness the fruition of your dearest hopes and your fondest ambitions.

International Wood Products Co.
Niles, Calif.

To Our Friends Far and Near—

MERRY CHRISTMAS! May the spirit of Yuletide envelope you and yours in a roseate aura of good will, good times and good health. Such is our earnest hope.

Swainson's Beauty Salon
Niles, Calif.

—Merry Xmas and Happy New Year to all of our customers and friends. We solicit your patronage in the future.

Innes-Cloverdale Dairy
Centerville Calif.

From the
Saint Clare Laundry and Mr. Goolds,
Driver of Route 10

The staff of the TOWNSHIP REGISTER—the Editor, the Proof Reader, the Printer, the Reporter, the Apprentice, and the Folders, join in wishing to one and all in Washington township the Merriest of Christmas Seasons and a New Year which will fill your cup to overflowing with the bounties of Joy and Happiness

James Graham Manufacturing Company
Largest and Oldest Stove Manufacturers in the West
More Than a Million Users. Fifty Years of Satisfaction
San Francisco—Los Angeles—Newark
California

A Basket of Good Cheer

May the Yuletide basket of cheer be laden with the fruits of friendship and good will for you. We wish the very heartiest of Christmases.

FLOYD PARKS
GROCERIES
Phone 54 Centerville, Cal.

The Holly and the Jolly

The holly is symbol of that jollity that pervades all Christendom on the Day of Gladness. May your share of the joy be bountiful, is our wish.

Silva's Maternity Home
Phone Niles 1-W
NILES

Wishing you a Very Merry Christmas and a New Year of Happiness

Morton Salt Co.
Newark, Calif.

A Feast of Good Will!

Our cordial good wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a New Year of greathappiness. May the Yule season bring abundant joy to you and yours!

BELVOIR HOTEL
NILES

California Nursery Co.
Fruit Trees—Ornamental—Roses—Dahlias
Gladiolus—Bedding Plants
Phone 134
NILES, CALIFORNIA

CENTERVILLE REGISTER

CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

Dec. 22—Knights of Pythias, Hansen's hall, 8 p. m.
Dec. 22—Knights of Columbus, Parish hall, 8 p. m.
Dec. 26—Victory Circle, Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.
Dec. 27—Native Sons, Hansen's hall, 8 p. m.
Dec. 28—Centerville Fire Department Meet, Fire House, 7 p. m.
Jan. 3—Country Club, Club House.
Jan. 6—Betsy Ross, Native Daughters, Anderson's Hall, 8 p. m.
Jan. 16—Welfare Club, No. 1.
Jan. 11—Eastern Star, Masonic Hall, 8 p. m.
Jan. 14—Masons, Masonic hall, 8 p. m..
Jan. 17—P.-T. A. Meet, Grammar School.

CENTERVILLE LIONS ENJOY XMAS PARTY

Christmas was celebrated in real style by the Centerville Lions Club and their families last night (Wednesday) at their Yule party held at the El Lido cafe in Centerville.

A large crowd was present to enjoy one of the most pleasant evenings of the year. Highlights of the entertainment was the musical program which featured Henri Salz and Salvatore Bellici.

Children present were delighted with the beautiful Christmas tree and the appearance of Santa Claus who distributed gifts and candy among them. Paul Pitman delivered an inspirational address to the kiddies on the spirit of Christmas.

Joe Jason was chairman of the committee arranging for the party, and was assisted by Frank Madruga, Harold De Leon, Chick Santos, Dr. G. S. Holeman and Ira Hodgkins.

E. H. Hirsch contributed the candy for the party, while the Christmas tree was donated by Capt. P. C. Hansen, and Harry Elsey gave the floral decorations.

Mrs. George Coit was a visitor in San Jose last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry will entertain with a famly dinner at their home on Christmas Day.

CENTERVILLE PLANT RESUMES PACKING OPERATIONS

Shipping and packing the season's crop of celery and cauliflower, the H. P. Garin Company resumed operations at full capacity in Centerville during the latter part of last week.

Although the recent severe cold snap caused damages to cauliflower and celery in this section of the county approximating several thousand of dollars, much of the season's crop was not touched.

With the opening, the Garin method of handling the ice by blower which facilitates packing and does away with the former method of handing the ice by hand. The invention is one Garin patented himself.

Williams Brothers packing plant also is expected to resume work soon.

ASULIKIT MEETS

The Asulikit Club enjoyed a very pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. Bourner last week. After the card play, the ladies with highest scores were invited into an adjoining room where they had their choice of seven awards for honors. The awards were in keeping with Christmas. The next meeting of the club will be held Tuesday, December 27, at the home of Mrs. B. Hawley, with Mrs. Earle assisting as hostess.

EASTERN STAR SEAT OFFICERS AT CEREMONIES

Installation of officers of Orient Chapter No. 177, Order of the Eastern Star, took place Friday evening at a meeting held in the Masonic Hall.

Ralph V. Richmond, of Niles, was master of ceremonies for the evening and Mrs. J. H. Ralph, of Alvarado, was hostess. Mrs. Willa Jane Hellwig, past grand matron, was installing officer. She was assisted by Mrs. E. B. Hodges and Mrs. E. E. Hellwig, as installing marshalls, F. Katzer, installing chaplain, and Mrs. Irene Kibby, installing organist.

Mrs. Mildred Schmacher, Mrs. Lowry, and Mrs. William Moir rendered vocal solos during the ceremonies.

Officers installed for the coming year were: Miss Jeanette Richmond worthy matron; E. A. Richmond, worthy patron; Mrs. F. Muller, associate matron; James Wasley, associate patron; Mrs. F. Mitte, secretary; Mrs. E. A. Richmond, treasurer; Miss Bernice Boyd, conductress; Mrs. F. Katzer, associate conductress; Franklin Brown, retiring patron, chaplain; Mrs. J. V. Goold, retiring matron, marshall; Mrs. H Kibby, organist; Laurene Wyatt, Clarabelle Logan, Mrs. E. Burch, Mrs. F. Brown, and Mrs. Laura Oreli, star points; Mrs. A. Gronley, warder; and M. Bodutch, sentinel.

WASHINGTON HIGH SPLITS WITH PLEASANTON

Washington Union high school's Class "B" cagers won an easy victory over the Pleasanton high school quintet last Tuesday night by a 32 to 12 count, while the Cornhuskers' unlimited five was nosed out 25 to 21.

The "B" hoopers assumed an early lead over Pleasanton and were never threatened. They displayed a smooth scoring attack and put up a stiff defense that Pleasanton boys found difficult to penetrate for shots at the basket.

The Pleasanton unlimited five held an early lead but the Cornhuskers crept up in the final quarter and were threatened seriously at the last whistle.

Centerville P.-T. A. Donate Xmas Baskets

Members of the Centerville Parent-Teachers Association met at the grammar school Tuesday afternoon and prepared baskets containing food and clothing for the needy families in the community.

The work was in charge of Mrs. Fred Rogers, president of the association.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

At the final session Thursday evening of the Beginners' English class taught at the high school by Mrs. J. C. Shinn, a Christmas party was enjoyed. Refreshments were served and a program was presented in which members of the class demonstrated their knowledge of English.

ROUND WORLD TRIP

Miss Marie E. Sandholt, well-known member of the Washington Union high school faculty, is making preparation for a trip around the world on which she will leave with her sister about January 20. They will leave by boat from San Francisco and be gone approximately six months.

CHURCH SERVICES

The usual Christmas services will be held at St. James Episcopal church in Centerville at eleven a. m. Sunday. Many Christmas trees are at residences and in the windows of Centerville business houses.

Masons Enjoy Christmas Fete At Centerville

Members and families of Washington township Masonic lodge enjoyed a Chrstmas party and tree at the Masonic Hall in Centerville Monday night. Andy Gronley, of Centerville, presided as master of ceremonies.

Santa Claus was on hand to distribute gifts and candy to the children, and an entertaining Yule program was presented. Games also were played during the evening.

Welfare Club Prepares Garments for Indigents

Work on garments for the needy families in the community occupied members of the Welfare Club, No. 1, at their meeting held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Forest Bishop in Centerville.

The welfare ladies plan to distribute a large number of garments for Christmas.

LAST TRIBUTE PAID TO MANUEL E. VARGAS

A large number of sorrowing friends and relatives paid their last tribute to Manuel E. Vargas, of Warm Springs, at funeral services held at Holy Ghost church, Centerville, Monday morning. Father Souza officiated.

Vargas died at his home in Warm Springs Friday. He had been engaged in farming in that section for many years and was retired at the time of his death. He was born in Valle Vista sixty-four years ago.

The deceased was a member of the Centerville U.P.E.C. lodge and was well-known thoughout Washington township. He was the husband of the late Mrs. Mary Vargas, and father of Mrs. Dorothy Gomes. Mrs. Jeanette Mendoes, and Alfred E. Vargas.

Pallbearers at the funeral were Tom Silva, Antone Frances, Frank Clark, John Breitweiter, Joseph Perry and Henry Allard.

Interment followed n the Centervile Holy Ghost cemetery. A Hayward mortuary was in charge of funeral arrangements.

TAKEN TO HOSPIAL

John Lowman took Father Maher from St. Mary's Orphanage, Mission San Jose, to the San Jose hospital Sunday in the Botelho ambulance. Father Maher is seriously ill.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dusterberry will hold a family dinner at their home on Christmas Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lowman and daughter, June, will spend Christmas with friends in Alameda.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCarthy, of Oakland, will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rathbone on Christmas Day.

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John Chandler, who is employed in Grass Valley, was in Centerville Saturday and Sunday. He returned to Grass Valley Sunday with his wife and baby.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry has as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs., F. V. Jones, of Niles.

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Harold De Leon was an Oakland business visitor Monday.

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Jess Regli is confined to his home this week with a serious attack of influenza.

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Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter will entertain with a family dinner at their home on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Al. Agosti and daughter, Carol, of San Luis Obispo, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs Howard Chadbourne, where they will remain until after Christmas.

OFFICIAL MAIN ST. NAME IS BROUGHT TO LIGHT

With the announcement that the Lions Club is planning to name the streets and number the houses in Centerville after the first of the year, Frank Madruga, president of the den, has been presented with information that the town's chief thoroughfare, always known to the majority of residents as Main street, is officially named Hesperian boulevard.

This came as a surprise to many of the Lions Club members, but, according to Madruga, they are enthusiastic over the name and and believe that when the proposed naming project begins Hesperian boulevard should be retained as the proper title of the street.

As Hesperian boulevard includes the strip of highway from San Leandro to Warm Springs via Centerville, the club will probaly decide to keep the name rather bly decide to keep the name rather tions by placing a different title on the thoroughfare when it passes through Centerville.

Hesperian boulevard is one of the roads included in the southern Alameda County League's program for inclusion in the state highway system.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FETE

The St. James Sunday school will hold its annual Christmas party at the Episcopal church tomororw night (Friday). An entertaining Yule program will be presented.

ALVARADO RESIDENT IS INTERRED AT CENTERVILLE

Claudio Cordova, a resident of Alvarado for the past twelve years, was laid to rest in the Centerville Holy Ghost cemetery Friday afternoon.

Cardova died last Thursday at his home in Alvarado after a long illness. He was born in Spain seventy-six years ago. His wife, Andria Cardova, and several children survive.

Funeral services were held from the family home Friday. Botelho Chapel of the Palms was in charge.

Oakland Man Fined $20 On Battery Count

Found guilty of battery by Judge Allen G. Norris in the Centerville justice court Friday afternoon, Paul Delano, of Oakland, was fined $20.

Delano is said to have struck A. B. Dekitdus with his fists on an Alvarado duck pond grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coit and family will spend Christmas Day at the home of Mrs. Coit's mother in Berkeley.

Pleasanton Church Plans Christmas Tree

Officers of the Sunday school department of the Pleasanton Presbyterian church talked over plans for the annual Christmas tree, to be held in connection with a Christmas program at the church on Christmas morning, at a pot-luck supper at the home of Mrs. Al Casterson recently.

The meeting was presided over by Robert Dana, of Pleasanton, Sunday school superintendent. Other business concerning the Sunday school departments was also discussed.

Those who attended the meeting were Robert Dana, Rev. R. C. Cross, A. Walters, Mrs. Ole Olsen, Mrs. J. P. Sorensen, Mrs. Allen Macey, Miss Barbara Bradley, Mrs. Al Casterson, Mrs. Leeta Gamble and Miss Carmen Cope.

SAME OLD SANTA, DEPRESSION OR NO DEPRESSION

MASONS AND STAR INSTALL OFFICERS AT PLEASANTON

At joint installation ceremonies Tuesday evening Robert Earl Cope was installed as master of the Pleasanton Masonic lodge and Mayo Thompson Glassey was installed as worthy matron of the Pleasanton Eastern Star. Installation exercises took place in the Odd Fellows' hall.

The new officers will serve for a period of one year.

The installing officers for the Eastern Star were: Norma Beatrice Kolln, P. M., mistress of ceremonies; Anne Marie Elliott, installing matron; Claude Insley Freeman, P. P., installing patron; Catherine Elizabeth Hall, P. M., installing marshall; William Fowler Hall, P. P., installing chaplain; Bertha Powers, installing organist.

Hans Niels Hansen, worshipful master, was the installing officer for the Masons. He was assisted by Robert Frederick Blacow, P. M., who acted as master of ceremonies, and Harry Tripp, installing organist.

Eastern Star officers installed were as follows: Mayo Thompson Glassey, worthy matron; Samuel Dinsmore Glassey, worthy patron; Della Eleanor Hansen, associate matron; Hans Niels Hansen, associate patron; Edith Gertrude Ziegenfuss, P. M., secretary; Myrtle Mae Madsen, P. M., treasurer; Cecile Mohr Cope, conductress; Alva Frances Crosby, associate conductress; Thomas Homer Silver, P. P., chaplain; Anne Marie Elliott, P. M., marshal; Francee Marion Buttner, organist; Olive Tripp, Adah; Hattie Eleanor Potvin, Ruth; Clara West Nilson, Esther; Anna S. Andresen, Martha; Delia Leithold Nelson, Electa; Mabel Ruth Sheffield, warder; Alfred Frederick Andresen, sentinel.

Officers installed in the Alisal Masonic lodge were: Robert Earl Cope, worshipful master; Samuel Dinsmore Glassey, senior warden; Stanley Claude Smallwood, junior warden; Jerome Harris Arendt, P. M., treasurer; Thomas Homer Silver, P. M., secretary; Henry Paul Mohr, P. M., chaplain; Walter Thure Nilson, senior deacon; Alfred Burt Casterson, junior deacon; Hans Niels Hansen, P. M., marshal; Peter Christesen, senior steward; Adolph Elmer Banke, junior steward; Arthur Nicholas Clemens, organist; George Trimingham, tyler.

Following the installation exercises a social was enjoyed. Late in the evening a dinner was served in the banquet room.

Pleasanton Program Committee Meets

Chairmen and members of the general and sub committees of the Pleasanton community Christmas tree held a mass meeting Saturday evening at 7:45 at the City Hall, as it was announced last week by E. O. McCormick, chairman.

All members of the committees were asked to attend the meeting because final preparations for the tree and program to be held tonight were made at that time.

The affair is considered to be one of the largest ever held in that community. Over five hundrd youngsters in the districts of Sunol, Dublin, Santa Rita, Antone and Pleasanton will be included in the affair.

Hillsborough—Plans underday to widen El Cerrito avenue between Hayne and Potts highways.

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SUNOL

-- DEPARTMENT --

Sunol School Pupils Enjoy Christmas Party

On Friday afternoon, December sixteenth, pupils of the Sunol Glen grammar school were guests at a party given by the Parent-Teachers' Association in the school auditorium.

The picture "Flight" was shown on the screen in the auditorium. After the picture was over, the children retired to the community room where there were two large tables set. There was a small Christmas tree decorated and set on each table. There was also a large tree, from which each child received a bag of candy, nuts and oranges. The refreshments were ice cream and cup cakes. The cakes were decorated with red and green frosting and a candle was set on top of each.

Everyone had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ziegenfuss and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henry were visitors in Sunol Sunday.

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Francee and Lorin Buttner are spending the Christmas vacation with Mrs. George Buttner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stalk have moved to Kilkare, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Vilano are moving into their house.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Trimingham and daughters, Grace and Frances, of Cowell, visited Mrs. A. Trimingham Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Moonie have moved to Sonora.

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Mrs. A. C. Day, Elizabeth Day, and Ellwood Johnson attended the California vs. Georgia Tech football game Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Peckham and son, Ben, of San Jose, attended the public installation of the Eastern Sar in Pleasanton Tuesday night.

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Mrs. C. Laurence, Miss Effie Trimingham, and W. Laurence, of San Mateo, visited Mrs. A. Trimingham Sunday.

Hazel Mendoza Entertains Friends With Card Fete

Miss Hazel Mendoza entertained a few girl friends at a social party held at her home Saturday evening.

The girls present enjoyed cards. Miss Rosaline Egan, of Sunol, held the highest honors. Late in the night refreshments were served, followed by a round table conversation.

Among those present were Miss Mildred Silva, of Pleasanton; Rosaline and Mae Egan and the hostess, all of Sunol. Jess and Alfred Mendoza also were present.

Sunol Woman Seriously Hurt In Auto Crash

Mrs. George Buttner, Jr., of Rio Vista, was the victim of a serious automobile accident last week.

While going from Oakland to Rio Vista, she apparently fainted, for her car was found wrecked and Mrs. Buttner unconscious at the wheel. The accident occurred on the levee near Sacramento. Several bones were broken, and she is in a serious condition in a hospital in Sacramento.

Mrs. M. Andrews spent several days in San Francisco this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Pheiffer, of San Francisco, are spending the holidays with Mrs. F. Crespi.

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Mrs. J. Hoag is visiting in Berkeley this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoag.

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Gardiner Smith, of San Luis Obispo, is spending the Christmas vacation with Mrs. Whittaker.

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Mrs. Agnter and Mrs E. Cardoza are recovering from influenza.

Sacramento—Contract for grading 4.4 files highway between Alpine and Viegas Creeks, San Diego county.

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Irvington Register

By ANNA BETTENCOURT

CHURCH XMAS FETE

Irvington Community church will hold its Christmas program tonight at seven o'clock. Regular preaching service will be held at the church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Everyone has been urged to attend.

ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Campos entertained a number of friends Saturday night. The evening was spent in playing games, cards and dancing. Refreshments were served at midnight.

ATTEND RALLY

Members of the Irvington Boy Scout troop attended the rally in San Leandro Friday evening.

Miss Agnes Raymond, of Irvington, is spending two weeks in San Leandro with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. August Silveria and daughter, Marie, of Milpitas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Irvington Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peterson and children arrived in Irvington to visit Mrs. Peterson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haynes.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Ambrose are new Warm Springs residents, going there from Irvington.

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Joseph George is spending two weeks vacation in Turlock with his grandparents.

FETES 91st BIRTHDAY

Mrs August Trimingham, sister of the late Mrs. Mary Reynolds, of Irvington, celebrated her ninety-first birthday Wednesday of last week. She was extended greetings by numerous frends and relatives.

WORHLESS CHECK

J. R. Nunes, shoemaker of Irvington, was given a check by a stranger in payment for a pair of shoes last week. It proved to be worthless when he presented the check for payment.

Mrs Henry Wells, of San Jose, is visiting Mrs. H. Weston.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hardwick and son, Lyle, of Oakland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mederios Sunday.

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Miss Mary Silveria, of Walnut Creek, visited Mrs. George Enos last week.

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Mrs. Joseph Perry visited in San Jose on Wednesday.

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Mrs. Ella Culter, of San Francisco, sister of Dr. Durham of Irvington, and her daughter, Miss Georgia, were guests of the Durham family last week.

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Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Lutz, of Irvington, have word from Chicago telling of the illness of their grandson there. He visited them last summer and was ill for a time here.

Warm Springs

By IRMA LEAL

Grand President Pays Visit to Warm Springs

Ladies of the S. P. R. S. I. Council No. 84, held their regular meeting Thursday 15 and received the official visit of the grand president, Mrs. Fade, of Modesto.

Other visitors were Mrs. M. George, Mrs. Rose and Miss Rose, and Mrs. Olivera, of Centerville; Mrs. Smith, of Milpitas; Mrs. Garcia and Mrs. Rodgers, of Mission San Jose.

Two new members were Mrs. Manuel Vargas and Mrs. Alfred Smith. Following the meeting lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Caton Laurence and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Antone Laurence motored to Hayward Monday to attend the funeral held for the son of Mr. and Mrs. Silva, who died following an operation for appendicitis.

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Mrs. Annie Ramos has been ill at her home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Briar have moved from Atwater and will make their home here.

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Mrs. J. Souza, Jr., and Mrs. J. S. Brown, and Evelyn Brown attended a show at the Parish ahll at Centerville Wednesday night.

Warm Springs Hoopers Defeated By Milpitas

The Warm Springs B. A. C. basketball team was defeated by the Milpitas team by a score of 17-9, recently.

The lineup was as follows: Ray Saquewa, center; Kenneth Faria, right forward; Filbert Lewis, left forward; Jack Goularte, and Tom Sarmento, guards; Joe Kato, John Martins, substitutes.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Vargas spent Sunday in San Jose at the home of John Saramento.

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Johnnie Smith and Sarah Escobar attended a party at the Riverside hotel at Alvarado Saturday night.

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John McSweeny and Thelma Bachan, of Oakand; Ed Anderson, of Hayward; and Margaret De Barr, of San Leandro, visited friends at Warm Springs Sunday.

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Miss Evelyn Brown spent a few days at Esther Jason's, of Centerville, last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. Antone Laurence visited Sunday their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bispo Sunday.

Bids Solicited on Kitchen Ware in New Building

Latest Reports Are That Hall Will Not Be Done Before March, 1933

Bids for the kitchen equipment for the Veteran's Memorial building at Pleasanton were called for by a resolution of the board of supervisors of Alameda county at their business meeting last Tuesday.

The bids will not be opened for two weeks, it was stated.

The dishes and equipment will be used in the new building which is being constructed for the Pleasanton American Legion Post and Auxiliary. According to present reports, the building will not be completed until March of next year.

Those who were on the committee to look after the getting of kitchen equipment were R. W. Apperson and W. T. Nilson, of Pleasanton; and Claude Freeman and Conrad Westling, of Sunol.

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EXTRA PERIODS GIVE WIN TO AMADOR FIVE

Ken Hardy Stars in Sinking Winning Shot at Last Minute

Ken Hardy, a Don guard, sank the winning basket which decided a close game between the Amador A basketball team and the Emeryville hoopsters at Berkeley recently. The winning goal broke a tie which had lasted through three extra periods.

The Dons are still giving Coach George Patterson grey hair by letting the games get too close for comfort. It was in the final quarter of the Deaf and Dumb tussle that the Dons won the game, but in the Emeryville fracas they kept the crowd in an uproar all through the final quarter and the period ended in a twenty to twenty tie.

In the first extra period Emeryville made the first field goal, but Dutra, Don forward tied the score again in the last few seconds of play.

During the second extra period neither team was able to score, though Emeryville had a chance on a foul shot, which would have won the game. The Dons also failed to score on a technical foul shot.

By the rules of basketball the first team to make two points in the third extra period is the winner. The game was a mad house by this time Emeryville got the first shot, a long one from the center of the court that just missed by inches. Amador recovered and missed a shot, with Emeryville again in a position to score. Ken Hardy took the ball before they could shoot, dribbled it to the middle of the court, and made a perfect shot that blasted Emeryville's chances of winning the game. The final score was twenty-four to twenty-two in favor of Amador.

The game last Friday was practically a duplication of last year's game, when John Garibadil sunk one from the middle of the court as the final gun was fired, thus giving Amador a one-point lead. The Emeryville coach is beginning to think that the Dons carry horse shoes in their pockets when they play against his team.

Dutra and Peters were tied for high point honors with eight points apiece. Captain Silva was next.

The line-up was: Dutra and Silva, forwards; Peters, center; Gibson and Hardy, guards; Ed Dolstra, reserve.

DECOTO

ATTEND CONFERENCE

R. Bendel and Milo Pierce, of Decoto, attended the conference of Mosquito Abatement District officials at Berkeley last Tuesday. Members from districts in California, Washington, and Oregon attended.

TO ELECT OFFICERS

Officers for the year will be elected at the coming meeting of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce.

EXTINGUISH BLAZE

The Decoto fire department was called out to extinguish a blaze in an automobile at the home of Miss Christine Anderson on the Whipple road Monday afternoon. Only slight damage resulted.

Traffic Court Held in Pleasanton by Judge

Nine traffic fines, of from five to twenty dollars each, brought a total of ninety-five dollars into the court of Judge Charles A. Gale, in Pleasanton, last Tuesday.

Six cases were continued, two were dismissed, and three warrants were issued for traffic violaters who failed to appear.

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CHRISTMAS PARTY TO BE HELD AT HAYWARD MOVIE

"Tess of the Storm Country" is the feature film at the Hayward theatre Friday and Saturday nights, December 23 and 24. An added attraction will be a big Christmas party Friday night.

A double bill is offered Sunday night, December 25, when "Sherlock Holmes" and "Igloo" will be shown.

An intensely thrilling drama is offered for Monday and Tuesday nights, Deccember 26 nd 27 in the film "Six Hours to Live." There will be a continuous show Monday night. Tuesday night is glassware night.

William Powell is starred Wednesday and Thursday nights, December 28 and 29 in "One Way Passage."

VISIT ILL MEMBER

Members of the Niles fire department paid a visit to Frank Silva, a member of the fire unit who has been seriously ill, after their regular meeting Friday night.

Stockton—Potato shipment from delta section totaled 134 cars since November 1, according to report from Federal Market News Service of United States Department of Agriculture.

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"One Way Passage"

The Newark Register

By Miss Patricia Barton

Newark Xmas Program Set for Tomorow Night

At the annual Christmas tree program to be given by the Bluebird Club Friday night, pupils of the Newark grammar school will present the following program:

Two reels of pictures, one of the Holy Land, and a comic reel will open the program; selections by the school orchestra; dialogue—"An Extra Stocking"—by the intermediate pupils; chorus by the advanced pupils; school song—Mrs. Millard's pupils, accompanied on the piano by Miss Jeannette Silva; dialogue—"Christmas Comes But Once A Year"—advanced pupils under the direction of Beth Musick; recitation by Darlene Bolyard—"Santa's Airship"; recitation by Sophia Nickas—"How Santa Comes;" Harmonica solo by Richard Sarmento.

Newark Farm Center Plans Community Feast

Plans for their community dinner to be held next month at the Newark Gun Club were made by members of the Newark Farm Center at their meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Ed Costa.

Mrs. Holeman, Farm Center teacher, was present at the meeting. The afternoon was enjoyed in making Christmas gifts for the home.

FETE CHURCH MASS

The forty-hours devotion was celebrated in the Newark Catholic Church by mass last Sunday and Monday nights, and Monday and Tuesday mornings.

High Mass will be celebrated at midnight Christmas Eve.

ATTEND PROGRAM

Mrs. Kettman and son, Edward, and Lillian Freitas, Marie Alvarez, and Patsy Barton, attended a program given by the children of the Holy Family at the day home in San Jose, Monday. The program reflected the Christmas spirit.

CHRISTMAS TREE PROGRAM

Large crowds attended the Christmas Tree program in Silva's hall in Newark Saturday night. It was given by a Portuguese lodge.

CHURCH SOCIETY PROGRAM

The Junior Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, gave a program Friday evening. During the program the girls rendered character sketches of different countries. The Juniors entertained the Seniors and displayed dolls they had made to send to children in Alaska.

CHRISTMAS TREE

The Christmas tree given to children of the catechism classes on last Saturday morning was attended by throngs of children. Many of the parents were present also. Everyone received a gift and a large stick of candy.

Newark Personals

Vesper service was held at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman had as a week-end guest at their home, Miss Lila Burstrom, of Oakland.

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Mr. Martin's daughter and her friends from Oakland, spent one day with him at his home in Newark last week.

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Leona and Florence May spent the week-end in Oakland at the home of Miss Alice Clark.

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Raymond, Bernice, and Eleanor Bernard, of Centerville, and Barbara Laudenslager and Jenny Hoffman, of Newark, attended the fights in Irvington Friday night.

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Mrs. John Freitas and daughter, Lillian, were Oakland shoppers last Tuesday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Dewhurst have as a guest at their home, Mr. Dean, of Salt Lake City. He will remain in Newark for a few weeks.

Well-Known Newark Chinaman Is Summoned

Sing, a Chinaman who has been a well-known character in Newark for over forty years died on Tuesday morning at the Highland hospital in Oakland.

He was around eighty-five years of age. When Sing first came to Newark he opened a laundry, but later turned to selling vegetables which was his occupation up to the time of his death.

Newark Girls Take Part in Xmas Fete

Three Newark girls provided some of the entertainment given at the Druids Christmas party in Centerville Monday night.

Miss Jenny Hoffman and Barbara Laudenslager, of Newark, and Eleanor Bernard and Veronica Furtado, of Centerville, danced and sang to "Please." Miss Laudenslager also sang as a solo, "Me Minus You."

Miss Edith Meneze sang, "My Mom" and "It's Only A Shanty in Old Shanty Town."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Subject for Sunday.

"Christian Science, Lesson for Thanksgiving Day."

Sunday at 11 a. m.

Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Reading room is open before and after services.

Yreka—Ten-year lease taken by Shell Company of California, on Susan R. Jones property, corner of Minery and Highway, to put in service station.

Register for fine job printing.

BY JACK TOWNSEND

Scoutmaster Lawrence W. Pine and Senior Patrol Leader Bradford Hodgkins, of Niles Troop No. 2, visited the Sunol troop Friday night. Pine gave instructions in signaling and fire-making. Pine has made fire by flint in eight seconds and fire by friction in twelve seconds.

Scouts Charles Myrick, Bert McKernan, and Tony Correria, of Niles, and Julius Pine, of Troop No. 2, rode their bicycles to Oakland for their fifty-mile ride for cycling merit badge last week.

There will be held soon a troop court of honor for Niles troops 1 and 2 to be sponsored by troop 2, with Rev. E. G. Brinkmyer as judge. It will be the first troop court ever held by Niles troops. Rank and merit badges will be awarded.

A scout school will be held Wednesday at the scout house. Instructions and test passing will be given by Scoutmaster Pine.

ROAD PROGRAM IS TOPIC FOR HEATED DISCUSSION

Niles Civic Body Members Express Confidence In League Group

Heated discussion of the southern Alameda County Highway League's program for inclusion of county roads in the state highway system at the next session of the legislature took place at the Niles Chamber of Commerce Monday noon.

Several members sounded warnings that Oakland would get the lion's share of benefit in realization of the program, if the rural scetions are not vigilant enough to prevent it.

W. B. Kirk expressed opinion that Oakland waited until the league was formed and then became a member in order to take charge of proceedings and to reap the largest gains. E. E. Ellsworth, A. J. Petsche and Lester Duffey, however, expressed confidence that rural sections have adequate representation in the league control of the body to hold out successfully for this end of the county.

Opinion also was voiced at Monday's meeting that the cities were getting more than their share of the state gasoline tax fund for their use.

In regard to the $50 which has been asked of the Niles Chamber as part of the expenses of keeping a proposed lobbyist at the state capitol to further the highway league's program, it was decided to wait until later to observe what action other communities would take. According to Robert Blacow, treasurer of the league, very little money has been turned in to date.

It was announced that the highway league would hold another of its meetings in Hayward tonight, at which E. A. Ellsworth will represent Niles.

In a letter from the league officials, read to the chamber, the various county roads proposed to be included in the state system were announced. Those in Washington township are:

Livermore, via Pleasanton and Sunol to Mission San Jose, twenty miles; seventeen miles from Sunol, via Niles, Centerville and Newark to Dumbarton Bridge; twenty miles from San Leandro to Warm Springs, known as Hesperian Boulevard; seven miles from Decoto to Jarvis Landing; six miles from Niles to Alvarado;

Three miles from Irvington to Mission San Jose; three miles from Decoto to Alvarado, Whipple road; ten miles Alvarado to Irvington via Newark.

It was moved by the chamber to give a vote of thanks to George Bonde, Tony Alves, Frank Nunes, and Marcielle Sullivan for the work performed in decorating and lighting the community Christmas tree which adorns First street by the Fire House.

There will be no meeting of the chamber next Monday because of Christmas. As the result of New Year's Day falling on Sunday also this year and as it will be feted on January 2, the chamber voted to hold its next meeting Tuesday, January 3.

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Mission San Jose

BY EVA ROGERS

WHIST PARTY A SUCCESS

The whist party given Friday night by the local I. D. E. S. lodge was a success.

Mrs. Calderia, of Newark, was the lucky one to win the door honor which was a turkey.

Due to the fact there were so many honors even, it was necessary to draw in some cases.

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Geraldean Rogers, who has been spending the past few weeks with friends has returned to her home in Lathrop.

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Claude Rogers and Henry Ruth of Manteca, were in Mission last week on business.

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Antone Ferandez, who has been slightly ill for the past week, is improving.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Antone Brown has been confined to bed with a very serious illness.

Louise Souza, of San Jose, spent last week with Elva Santos.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rogers motored to San Jose Friday.

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Anna Perry and Aldiva Azevada motored to San Jose last week.

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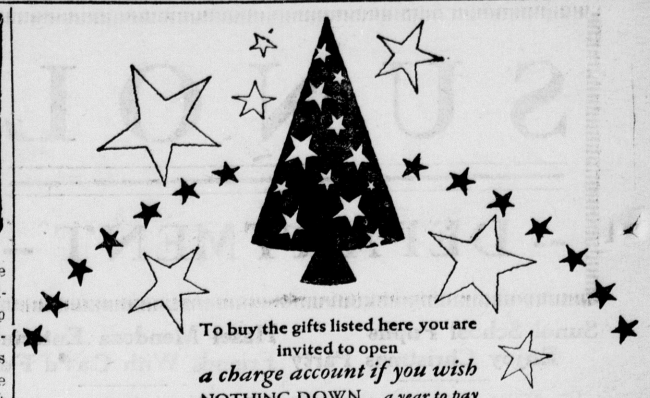
Angelena Fergundos, of San Francisco, visited her parents Saturday.

Sunnyvale — Contracts for construction of roads, walks and storm drainage at naval air station here, awarded Peninsula Paving Company for $109,220.



To buy the gifts listed here you are invited to open a charge account if you wish
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starting in January, 1933

THE STARS SUGGEST

...FOR HER...

Beads, crystal	$3.00 to $22.00
Bracelets, Victorian	5.75
Cigarette cases	4.00 to 20.00
Cigarette lighters	3.00 to 9.00
Compacts, enamelled	2.00 to 7.50
Mesh bags	7.50 to 22.50
Pendants, Victorian	10.00
Rings, genuine stones	6.50 to 50.00
Toilet sets (3-piece)	
enamelled	12.50 up
ivory	11.00 up
Sterling	15.00 up
Watch bands	2.00 to 12.00

...FOR HIM...

Charms	$6.00 to $45.00
Cigarette cases, plate	4.50
Sterling	10.00 to 27.50
Identification bands	3.50 to 6.00
Key chains, Sterling	2.50 to 5.00
Knives	2.25 to 12.00
Military sets	4.50 to 24.00
Pen-pencil sets	1.95 to 25.00
Rings, signet	9.00 to 39.00
stone	15.00 to 80.00
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14 kt. solid gold	14.00 to 24.00

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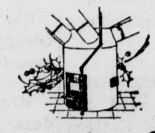
Mrs. Mary F. Fonsica and nephew, Laurence Fonsica, and Madeline, Joe, Adeline, and Arthur Fonsica have just returned from visiting relatives at Gustine.

Mrs. Jennie De Bussy, of Pomona, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ford in Niles. She is known to many residents in this section.



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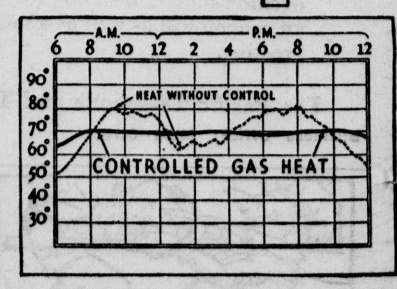

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